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## LAFAYETTE COUNTY TRUST COMPANY

Will Commence Operation Saturday, August 17th. First Trust Company in Lafayette County.

The Lafayette County Trust Company which succeeds the Morrison-Wentworth Bank, will commence operation under the new charter and name Saturday, at the old stand of the Morrison-Wentworth Bank and continue there until their new quarters are ready for occupancy, the latter part of October. The Lafayette County Trust Company has a paid up capital of \$75,000, and a surplus of \$15,000.

The new banking house will be located at 1012 Main street, directly opposite the court house and will be ready for occupancy sometime in October. It will be one of the most modern and completely equipped buildings, for this purpose, in this part of the state.

The powers delegated to a Trust Company are almost limitless, and surely covers the entire field of financial operation, such as acting as executor, administrator, trustee, guardian, curator, register, and transfer agents of stocks and bonds, receiver and financial agents. The Company will also handle high grade bonds and other securities, issue domestic and foreign exchange, travelers checks, etc.

The abstract and farm loan department will be in personal charge of the president, Ike H. Noyes, whose experience in this line covers eight years of successful operation, and ownership of the Lafayette County Abstract Co., which business has been purchased by the Trust Company.

The Trust Company which is primarily a state institution has joined the Federal Reserve System, and will, therefore, come under the double supervision of the Federal and State banking departments.

Mr. Noyes, who has been president of the Morrison-Wentworth Bank since June 5th of this year, has been elected as president of the new Trust Company. Mr. Noyes has owned and operated the Lafayette County

Abstract Co., of Lexington for over eight years. He has loaned thousands of dollars on farm lands in this community, and is at present serving a second term as county treasurer.

Sam T. Ellis, who has served as cashier of the Morrison-Wentworth Bank since June 5th of this year, has been elected active vice-president. Mr. Ellis is a banker of ten years experience and enjoys a wide acquaintance in this section of the state. He was cashier of the Napoleon Bank for over seven years and was associated with the Lexington Savings Bank as assistant cashier for a short time preceding his election to the cashiership of the Morrison-Wentworth Bank.

Albert Gillen, who has for many years operated a hardware business in Lexington and one of the best known men of the county, has been elected second vice-president.

Claude F. Pack has been chosen secretary and treasurer. Mr. Pack comes to the Trust Company with an experience of fifteen years in two Kansas City banks, and served for two years as secretary and manager of the Clearing House Association of Kansas City, Kansas.

James Gwinner, who has had two years business experience as accountant with local firms, has been employed as bookkeeper.

The directorate is composed of the following:

Worth Bates, Manager of Missouri Gas & Electric Service Co.  
John R. Dreyer, Farmer.  
Sam T. Ellis, Active Vice President.

Albert Gillen, Hardware Merchant.  
James F. Lyons, Farmer.  
Ike H. Noyes, President  
Claude F. Pack, Secretary and Treasurer.

The new institution is a welcome adjunct to the financial interests of Lexington, and its success is predicted on every hand.

Mrs. Frank Kriehn, accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. John Sturgis, and the latter's son, Irvin, left Saturday evening for Wood, South Dakota, for a month's visit with her son, Frank Kriehn, Jr.

## 38 MEN LEAVE TO STUDY MOTOR MECHANICS

32 To The Rahe School, Kansas City; 6 To Columbia.

Thirty-eight more young men left yesterday to prepare for usefulness in the great army of Uncle Sam. Thirty-six of them will receive instruction in motor mechanics at the Rahe School in Kansas City, and six were sent to the University of Missouri at Columbia.

The following go to the Rahe School:

James A. Alcorn, Mayview  
Wm. C. Barnett, Lexington  
W. Lee Gammon, Odessa  
V. E. Phelps, Higginsville  
Albert W. Jeffries, Odessa  
Ray Smith, Lexington  
Jesse C. Pallette, Odessa  
W. H. Cordsen, Concordia  
Wm. H. Klingenberg, Concordia  
Harry Lange, Concordia  
Joe Tarbolott, Lexington  
Ben Borne, Lexington  
Oscar L. Jones, Corder  
L. H. Fieth, Corder  
William L. Selby, Lexington  
Arthur Holman, Lexington  
Herbert A. Hies, Lexington  
Edward Lock, Lexington  
John L. Martin, Concordia  
F. G. Strodtman, Napoleon  
William P. Carl, Mayview  
T. O. Middleton, Bates City  
F. G. Violet, Bates City  
James A. Chrisman, Bates City  
Oscar H. Gillespie, Napoleon  
W. Reavis, Lexington  
George Reavis, Lexington  
Bennie Johnson, Odessa  
William E. Lewis, Concordia  
Fred Ehlebracht, Lexington  
O. S. Bell, Corder  
Hugo A. Young, Higginsville

These to Columbia:

Chas. E. Griffith, Bates City  
Henry Mignery, Lexington  
S. C. Heidbrink, Mayview  
H. Schaevel, Odessa  
Calvin E. Yelton, Odessa  
Harry F. Kesterson, Odessa

## Lieut Morris' Wound Officially Reported.

Mrs. D. C. Morris received a telegram Sunday evening from the Adjutant General verifying the report that her son, Lieut. L. I. Morris had been wounded in action.

The telegram reads:

Washington, D. C.,

Mrs. D. C. Morris, Lexington, Mo.  
Deeply regret to inform you that it is officially reported that Lieut. L. I. Morris, infantry, was severely wounded in action, July 20th. Department has no further information.

McCain, Adj. General.

About 12:30 o'clock Monday night someone broke into the garage of Fred Whitsett, above Myrick and removed therefrom his "Henry." Mr. and Mrs. Whitsett had driven the car home from town about 11:00 o'clock. The next morning Mrs. Whitsett saw the doors of the garage standing open and on investigating found that "Henry" had disappeared. The license is No. 135241 Mo. Mr. Whitsett offers a reward of \$100 for the recovery of the car.

## Enrolled For Red Cross Nurses.

The campaign for Red Cross nurses is not meeting with much success in Lexington, as only three, Mrs. Thos. Holman, Mrs. Everett Schriver and Miss Wilhelm Snyder, have enrolled to date. Sixteen is the quota for Lafayette county.

Mrs. Walter Shinn went to Kansas City Sunday evening for a visit.

John Wilson, U. S. S. Montana, arrived Tuesday morning to spend a short furlough with his mother, Mrs. Ida Hyde Wilson.

## Death of Katherine O'Malley.

Miss Katherine O'Malley, a former resident of this city, died Monday afternoon at the Mt. Saint Rose Seminary in St. Louis, death being due to stomach trouble.

Miss O'Malley was born in this city April 1, 1876, and was 42 years of age. She has been living in St. Louis for the past twenty years. The survivors are three sisters and two brothers, Mrs. Mary O'Connor, Misses Anna and Delia O'Malley, and John O'Malley of St. Louis, and James O'Malley of this city.

The body was brought to Lexington Wednesday and taken to the home of her brother, Jas. O'Malley, South street. The funeral was held from the Catholic Thursday morning at 8 o'clock.

## Death of Mrs. Edward Marcum.

Mrs. Edward Marcum, a former resident of Lexington, died at her home in Kansas City, Monday night. She was a daughter of Mrs. Pauline Casper, and was 51 years old. Besides her husband she is survived by two brothers, Thomas and Jas. Casper, and one sister, Miss Anna Casper, all of Kansas City.

The funeral was held in Kansas City and the body brought to Lexington yesterday for burial.

## Notice.

I want to take this method of thanking my friends who so loyally supported me in the late primary—and to those who came to me with the consoling information: "Say, Jim, you are just the man for the place, well qualified, etc. I feel kindly toward you, BUT!" I want to thank—YOU. I have been thoroughly convinced that I know more about the grocery and dry goods business than I do about politics. I trust the gentlemen who received the nominations for the various offices will be elected with rousing majorities this fall.

The above is politics, the balance is business. I want to thank my friends who have been so generous and loyal with their patronage in the past, assuring you one and all that my best efforts at all times will be to please you with the best of goods and prices, to suit the times. I remain

Yours truly,  
JAMES F. WINN.

## Christian Church Items.

The annual all-day meeting was held at Dover last Sunday. Rev. King Stark of Richmond, who began a revival there on the preceding Friday, was in charge. In spite of the extreme heat large congregations are turning out. This is Mr. Stark's fourth meeting with the Dover church.

In days past Alexander Campbell visited the church. Among its pastors were J. W. McGarvey and J. W. Plattenburg, and among its distinguished preachers who have ministered to them are Alex. Proctor and G. W. Langon.

Dinner was served on the ground last Sunday, and in the afternoon a service flag was dedicated, an address being delivered by Rev. Baxter Waters of Lexington.

The county convention of the Christian churches (Disciples) of Lafayette county, will be held next Tuesday beginning at 9 a. m. In the forenoon the Sunday school program will be given and the afternoon will be devoted to business and display of the service flags from all the churches with patriotic address by Rev. McKinney of Higginsville. Dr. Harwood of Dover, is president of the convention.

Services at the Christian church next Sunday morning. Bible school at 9:45. The pastor, Rev. Baxter Waters, will preach at 11 o'clock. The public is cordially invited.

## To The Voters.

I want to thank those of you who supported me before and at the primary, and though I was not successful, I bear no malice to any, and it is my wish that you will support the nominee and the ticket at the general election.

Very truly,  
M. T. Hartman.

## Negroes Arrested For Stealing.

Four colored men, Chas. Scott, Gyp Williams, "Tato" Turner and "one arm" Brown were arrested yesterday and placed in the county jail, charged with stealing junk and other articles that would stick to their fingers.

Monroe Butler, U. S. S. Montana, arrived Tuesday morning to spend a short furlough with home folks. Monroe is looking fine. He says that he has made nine trips across but has yet to set foot on foreign soil.

## THE COUNTY COMMITTEES

Meetings Were Held Tuesday To Elect Officers.

The Democratic Committee-men met Tuesday in Lexington to elect officers and transact other business relative to the fall campaign. T. A. Walker was chosen chairman, and H. C. Rogers temporary secretary. A meeting will be held in Higginsville, September 3rd, when a permanent secretary and treasurer will be chosen.

Following is the committee: Clay Township—A. J. Adair. Davis Township—James. P. Chinn.

Dover Township—Nathan Corder.

Freedom Township—Mode Anson.

Lexington Township—T. A. Walker.

Middleton Township—George Hackler.

Sni-a-bar Township—William Renick.

Washington Township—James Cunningham.

## Republican Committee.

The Republican Committee-men also met Tuesday and elected U. G. Phetzing chairman, and D. W. Sherman secretary and treasurer. The committee will meet in Higginsville, September 12th, at which time the vacancies on the ticket will be filled.

The members of the committee are:

Clay Township—John F. Ritter.

Davis Township—Geo. Scott.

Dover Township—Butler Thomas.

Freedom Township—J. S. Klingenberg.

Lexington Township—U. G. Phetzing.

Middleton Township—William Schrieman.

Sni-a-bar Township—D. F. Spore.

Washington Township—John Drewell.

## Card of Thanks.

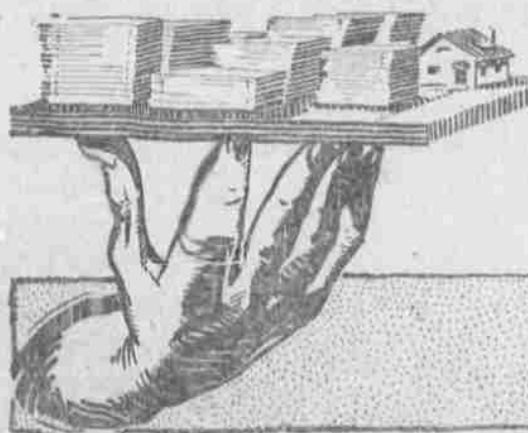
We wish to thank those who so kindly assisted us during the sickness and burial of our beloved husband and father.

Mrs. Huddleston and family.

## Athletics 3; World's Nations 4.

The Athletics took the count Sunday from the World's Nations by the score of 4 to 3.

Mrs. H. C. Rogers went to Kansas City Wednesday to spend the day.



## Complete Stock Always on Hand

When I amder you want, be it little or much, Get the best that your money will buy; Bright, clear stock, of uniform grade, Well manufactured and dry. That is the kind of lumber we sell; The very best in the whole land. Come to us when you want a board or a bill; We've a complete stock always "on hand."

We aim to keep always on hand everything usually to be found in a first-class lumber yard. We like to be able to give a man exactly what he calls for. No matter how big, or how little, the order, we can fill it promptly at the best obtainable price. Come here when you want real service.

"THE WAY THAT SAVES AND SATISFIES"

LAMBERT LUMBER COMPANY  
JOHN J. PRICE, Manager.

## Lafayette County Trust Company

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Financial Need and Cordially Invite  
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